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In re Patent Application of	)	
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Application No.: 09/817,797	)	Examiner: Audrey Y. Chang
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Filed: March 27, 2001	)	Confirmation No. 8356
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For: DEVICE FOR QUANTITATIVE	)	
ASSESSMENT OF THE ALIGNED :		
POSITION OF TWO MACHINE	)	
PARTS, WORKPIECES OR THE LIKE :		

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

The following is presented in response to the Office Action that was mailed on November 7, 2006, in connection with the above-identified application.